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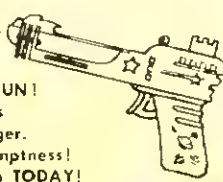
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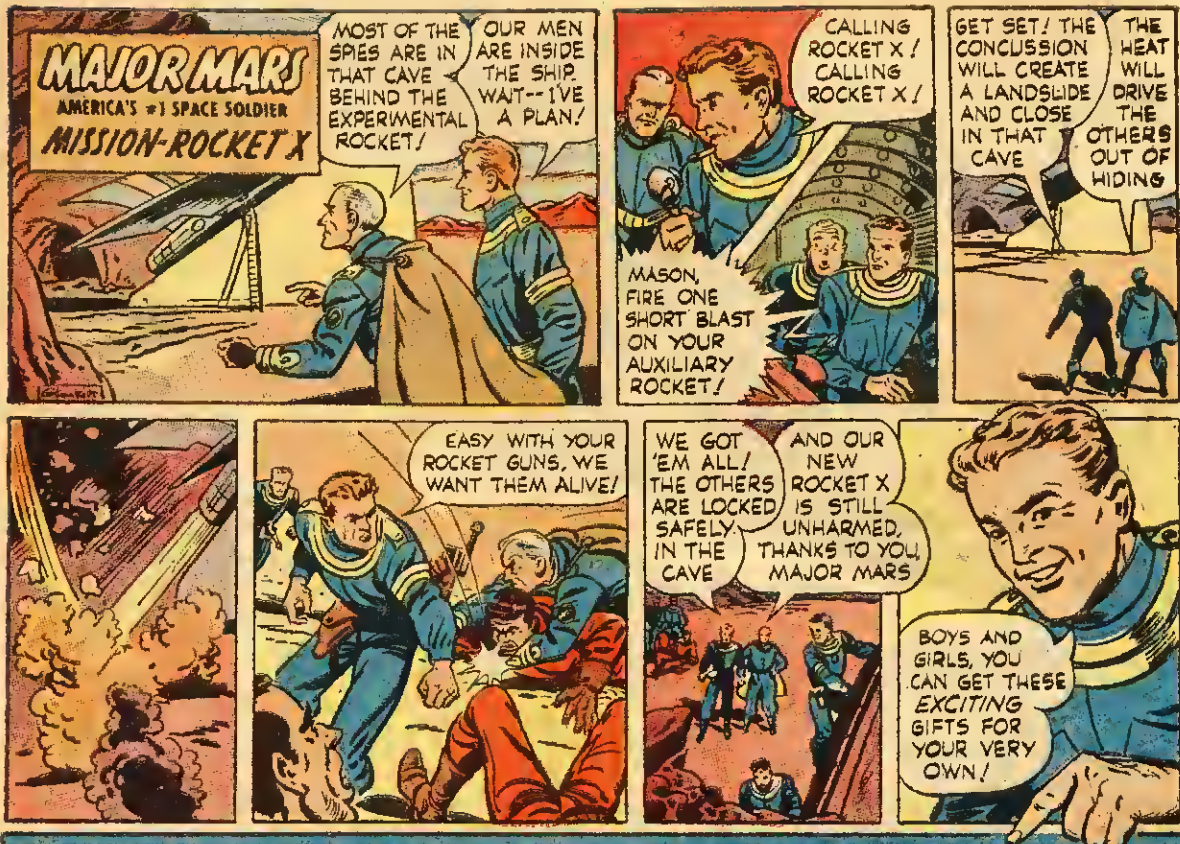
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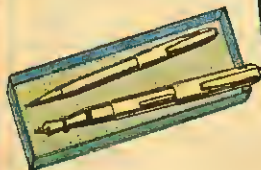
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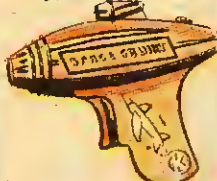
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OIL--THE LIFE BLOOD OF NATIONS, HAS TO BE BOUGHT WITH THE BLOOD OF MEN, THAT FREEDOM MAY LIVE--

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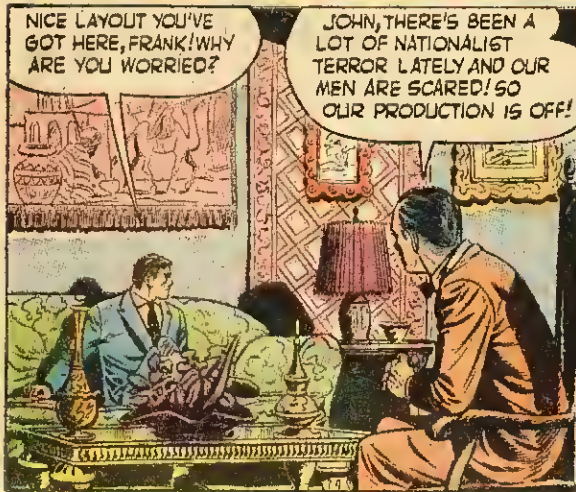


NICE LAYOUT YOU'VE GOT HERE, FRANK! WHY ARE YOU WORRIED?

JOHN, THERE'S BEEN A LOT OF NATIONALIST TERROR LATELY AND OUR MEN ARE SCARED! SO OUR PRODUCTION IS OFF!

THAT'S JUST IT--WE HAVE GUARANTEED CERTAIN PRODUCTION SCHEDULES--- INTERFERENCE WILL CAUSE NON-FULFILLMENT AND CANCELLATION!

AND I SUPPOSE YOUR CONTRACT DEPENDS UPON PRODUCTION!



THAT NIGHT---

WHAT THE---? SOMETHING'S
UP-- BETTER GET OUT THERE---



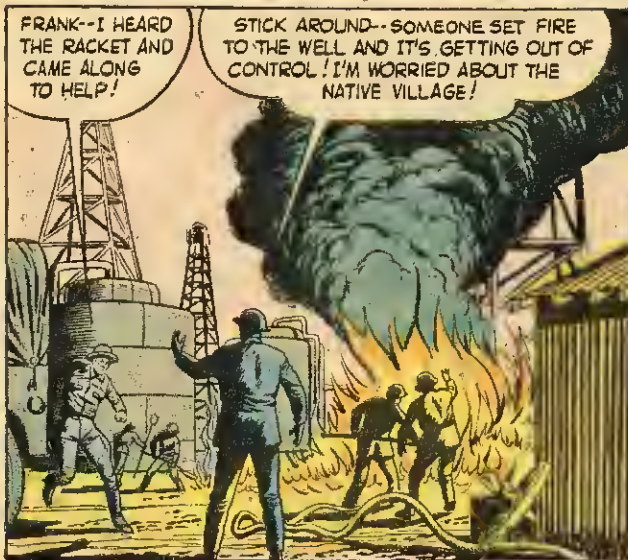
HEY, ALI--WHAT'S
HAPPENING?

EXCUSE, SAHIB--FIRE
IN WELL, MUST HURRY!



FRANK--I HEARD
THE RACKET AND
CAME ALONG
TO HELP!

STICK AROUND--SOMEONE SET FIRE
TO THE WELL AND IT'S GETTING OUT OF
CONTROL! I'M WORRIED ABOUT THE
NATIVE VILLAGE!



TROUBLE IS THE FIREFIGHTERS
ARE ALL AWAY AND THERE'S NO
ONE TO GO IN THERE WITH A
CHARGE OF DYNAMITE TO
KILL THE FIRE!

NOBODY?
HOW ABOUT
ME?



OKAY, JOHN! THE DYNAMITE IS
READY! THESE MEN WILL PLAY A
STREAM OF WATER ON YOU---
JUST PLACE THAT SOUP, THEN
BEAT IT, HEAR?

RIGHT, FRANK-- BUT
TELL THEM TO KEEP
THAT WATER ON ME
ALL THE TIME!



GOOD LUCK, JOHN!
I'M GOING FOR
REINFORCEMENTS!



WHILE JOHN WAYNE RISKED HIS LIFE ---

NOW IS OUR CHANCE---SNEAK UP
BEHIND THE MEN WITH THE HOSES--THEN
KNOCK THEM OUT! CUT OFF THE WATER
AND SHOOT THE AMERICAN! UNDERSTAND?

OF COURSE!
BUT LET US
MOVE
QUICKLY!



IN ALLAH'S
NAME!

DEATH TO
THE INTRUDER!

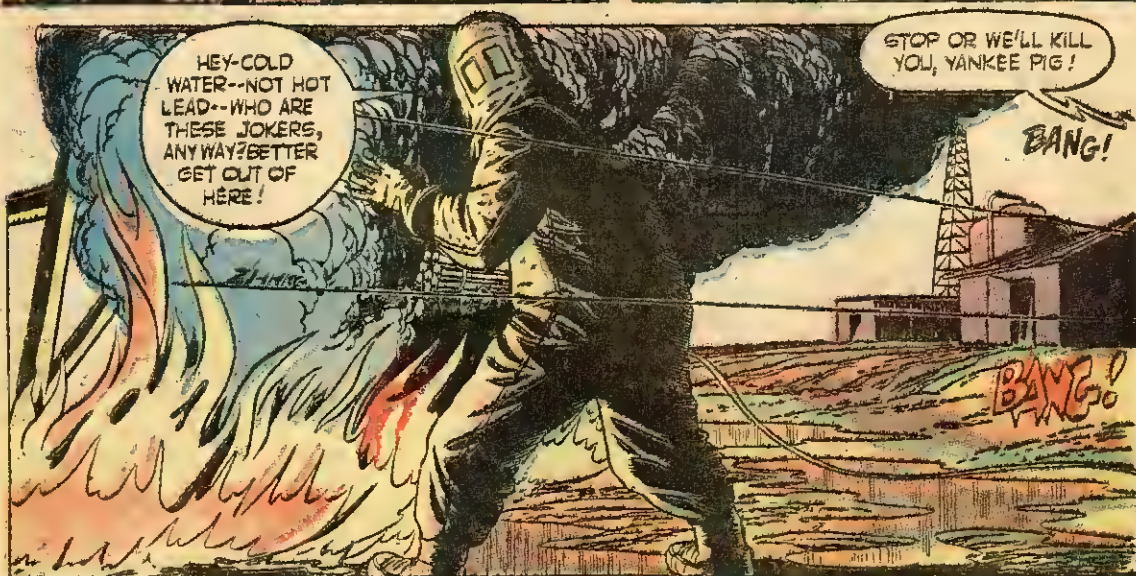
FOR ARABIA
AND MY
FATHER'S GRAVE!



HEY-COLD
WATER--NOT HOT
LEAD--WHO ARE
THESE JOKERS,
ANYWAY? BETTER
GET OUT OF
HERE!

STOP OR WE'LL KILL
YOU, YANKEE PIG!

BANG!



HOPE THEY FOLLOW ME--
THEN THESE WILL HELP THE
SURPRISE--IF A BULLET
DOESN'T GET THEM FIRST!

HERE'S A LITTLE
FUN FOR YOU FELLOWS!

STOP--THE FOOL IS
THROWING DYNAMITE
--TAKE COVER!

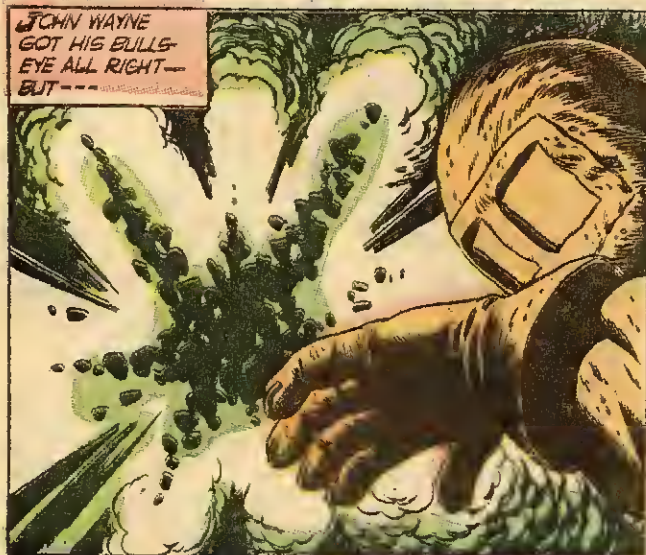




DOWN-- STAY
DOWN-- THE
CONCUSSION!



HOPE MY PITCHING ARM HOLDS OUT--
GOT TO GET A BULLS-EYE
THIS TIME!



JOHN WAYNE
GOT HIS BULLS-
EYE ALL RIGHT--
BUT ---



THE CONCUSSION KNOCKED HIM COLD!

HURRY, ABDUL, THE PIG
IS UNCONSCIOUS. LET'S
GET HIM!

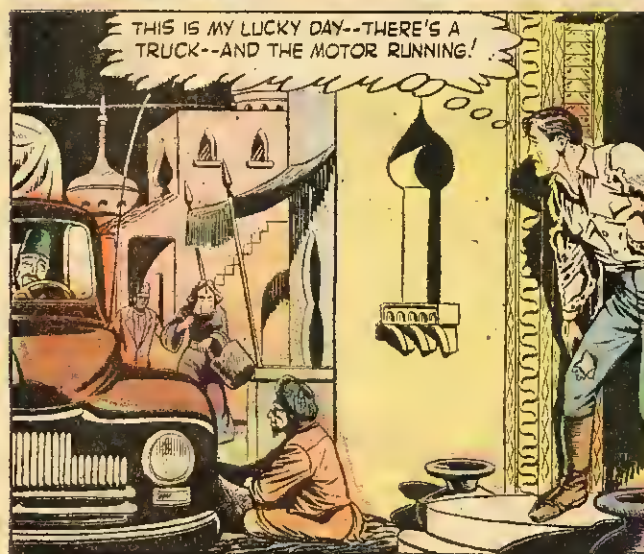


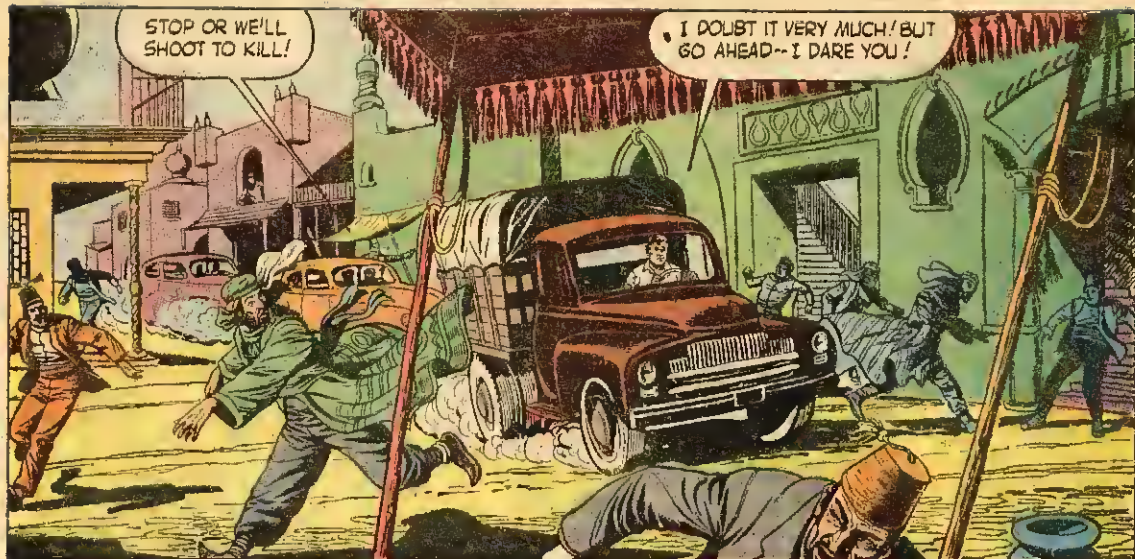
HURRY WITH THAT--HE'S A BULL! IF HE
SHOULD COME TO, WE'D LOSE HIM!



WHERE THE
DEVIL AM I?

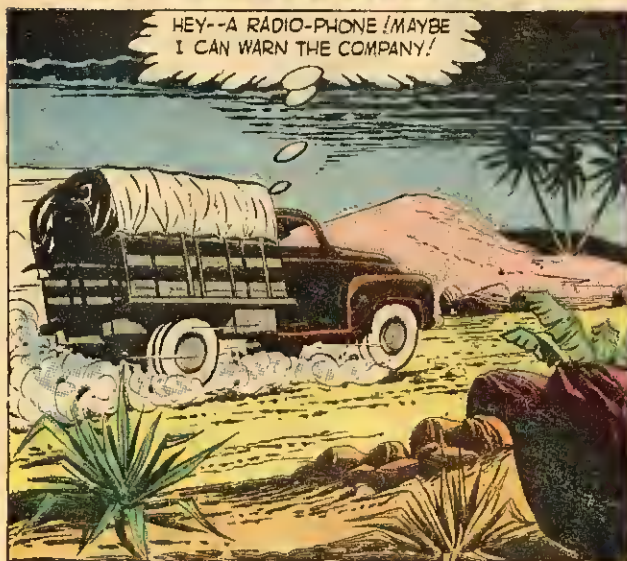
GO, YOU WAKE, YANKEE! YOU'LL
SOON KNOW WHAT HAPPENS
TO YANKEE INTRUDERS! FAROUK
WILL BE PLEASED TO SEE
OUR FISH!





STOP OR WE'LL
SHOOT TO KILL!

I DOUBT IT VERY MUCH! BUT
GO AHEAD-- I DARE YOU!



HEY--A RADIO-PHONE /MAYBE
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YEAH, FRANK, LISTEN-- I'M ABOUT 75
MILES AWAY AND I'M BEING CHASED BY
BIRDS THAT WANT TO KIDNAP YOU!
ALERT THE TROOPS AND I'LL LEAD
THESE BLOKES IN!

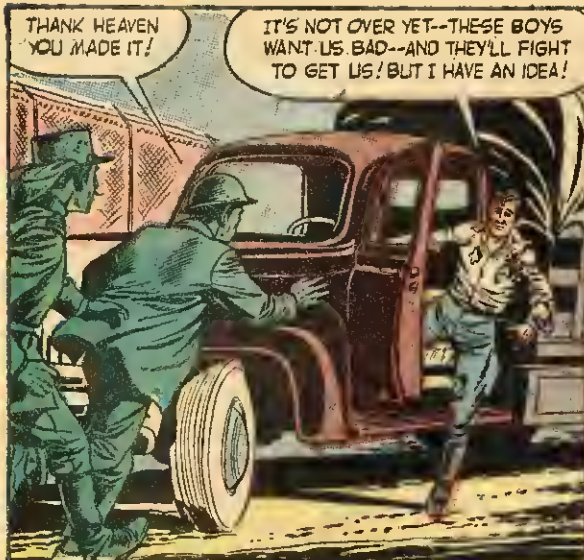


FASTER--FASTER--THE DOG
IS SLOWING A BIT--LET'S
GET HIM!

I'M AFRAID IT'S A
TRAP--WHY SHOULD
HE SLOW DOWN?



WOW! MADE IT--NOW IF THEY
ONLY TRY TO FOLLOW ME IN!





JOHN! YOU GOT--

QUIET, NOW, FRANK--OUR GUEST IS ASLEEP--HEAVY TOO! MY GUESS IS HE'S TOO BIG TO BE AN ARAB!



THAT'S HIM, ALL RIGHT --FAROLUK'S A SINISTER MYSTERY TO ALL OF US!

WAIT! HE WAKES UP--I THINK HE'LL ANSWER TO IVAN AND PRAY TO MOSCOW--



I THINK YOU'RE RIGHT!



ALL RIGHT--ALL RIGHT, SO I AM A RUSSIAN! WHAT CAN YOU DO ABOUT IT?

I THOUGHT SO, COMRADE--YOUR MAKEUP STINKS!

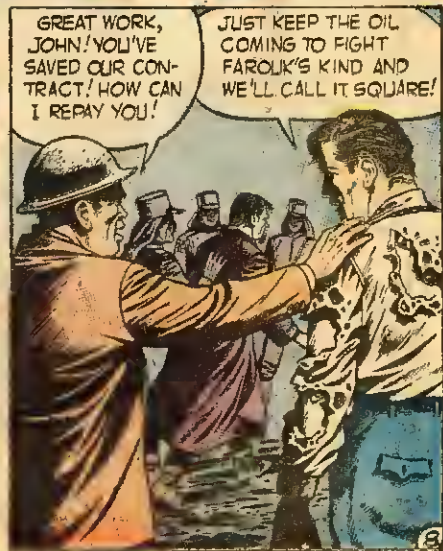


YOU SEE--HE WAS MAKING DUPES OF YOU FOR MOSCOW--WHAT DO YOU SAY--SHALL WE PRODUCE OIL FOR YOU?

KILL THE IMPOSTER!

PRODUCE OIL!

WE NEED IT!



GREAT WORK, JOHN! YOU'VE SAVED OUR CONTRACT! HOW CAN I REPAY YOU!

JUST KEEP THE OIL COMING TO FIGHT FAROLUK'S KIND AND WE'LL CALL IT SQUARE!

THERE IS EVIL IN MANY PLACES... AN UGLY EVIL THAT SPRINGS FROM THE DEEDS OF MEN AND LIVES ON TO CURSE THOSE WHO FOLLOW LATER. FOR EVIL GROWS AFTER DEATH WHEN- EVER SATAN'S BARGAIN HAS BEEN STRUCK. JOHN WAYNE FOUND THAT OUT WHEN HE FIRST SAW THE TERRIFYING, MACRAE MANSE...

THE DEVIL'S STEWPOT... WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?

JOHN WAYNE
ADVENTURE

GOOM AWAY, MON, TIS THE DE'ILS STEWPOT AND UNCLEAN ARE THE THINGS THAT GO ON IN THERE!

DEATH BOILED OVER

PLEASE MON, GOOM AWAY NOW! I'LL TELL YE THE TALE AS WE LEAVE THIS GOD-LOST SPOT.

ALL' RIGHT, MACKENSIE. I'LL COME WITH YOU, BUT TELL ME THE STORY, MAN!

IT'S BEEN SO SINCE MY GREAT-GRANDFATHER'S TIME. FEARFUL HAPPENINGS THAT NO MORTAL CAN EXPLAIN. ONLY LAST YEAR IT HAPPENED AGAIN! THE POLICE GOT THE COMPLAINT FIRST...





I SAY, DO YOU THINK I CAN GET A NIGHT'S LODGING AT THE CASTLE AHEAD? I'M TIRED AND THE NIGHT LOOKS WILD.

BETTER THE WILD NIGHT, STRANGER, THAN THE DÉ'IL'S STEWPOT. STAY AWAY FROM MACRAE'S....



I WONDER WHAT THE MAN MEANT... DEVIL'S STEWPOT! IT IS EERIE... OH NONSENSE... I'LL CALL OUT...

HALLŌŌO THE CASTLE! IS ANYONE THERE?



I'M SORRY TO DISTURB YOU... BUT COULD YOU PUT ME UP FOR THE NIGHT?

MY NAMES DOUGLAS MACRAE AND YE'RE WELCOME TO STAY THE NIGHT... COME IN STRANGER!

THE DOOR CLOSED, THE OLD HOUSE GLOWED AND BREATHED A NOXIOUS STEAM THAT SMELLED OF BRIMSTONE...



NEXT DAY! ITS ANOTHER REPORT ON THE DEVIL'S STEWPOT... STRANGER SEEN NEAR THERE... NO ONE REPORTS HIM LATER...



YES, YES, I KNOW. THE OLD HOUSE IS STEAMING AND THE LIGHTS ARE FLICKERING... WELL IT'S A COLD NIGHT AND IF OLD BRIMSTONE HAS BREWED HIMSELF A STEW MAYBE I'LL JOIN HIM IN A BITE!

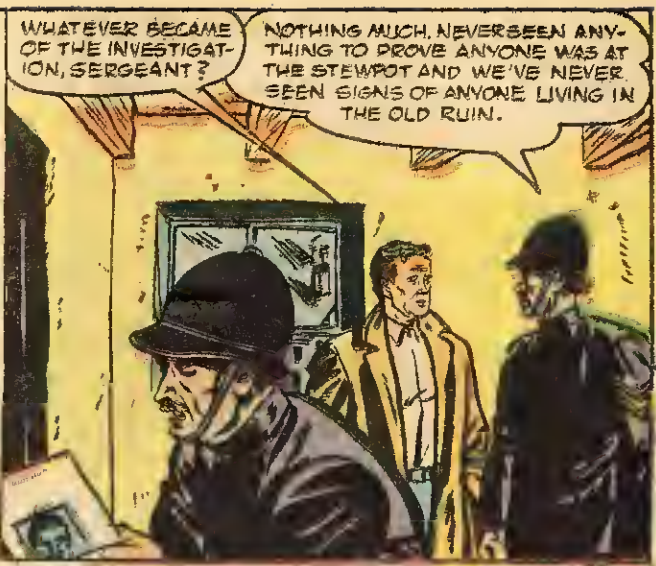
HOLY SAINTS PRESERVE US! HERES A BONE AND THESE GREASE SPOTS LOOK FRESH... AND THE WHOLE PLACE SMELLS LIKE A KITCHEN WHERE A WOMAN JUST BREWED SOME SOUP!





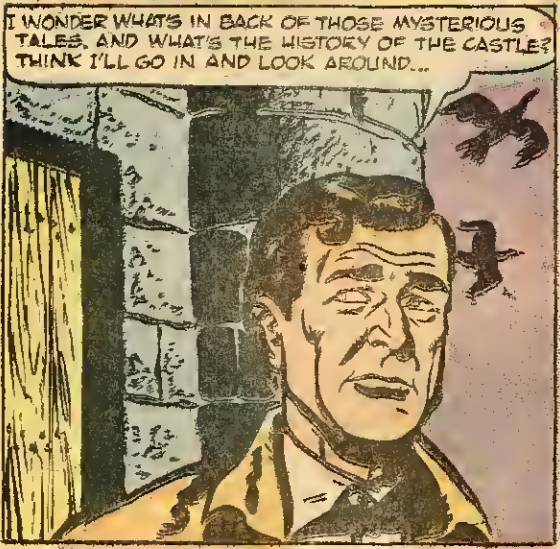
AND DID NO ONE EVER HEAR FROM THE STRANGER?

NEVER, SIR... NOW LET'S GET AWAY FROM HERE AND DON'T LET'S TALK ABOUT THE MCCRAE MANSE ANYMORE.



WHATEVER BECAME OF THE INVESTIGATION, SERGEANT?

NOTHING MUCH, NEVER BEEN ANYTHING TO PROVE ANYONE WAS AT THE STEWROT AND WE'VE NEVER SEEN SIGNS OF ANYONE LIVING IN THE OLD RUIN.



I WONDER WHAT'S IN BACK OF THOSE MYSTERIOUS TALES, AND WHAT'S THE HISTORY OF THE CASTLE? THINK I'LL GO IN AND LOOK AROUND...



DON'T GO IN, YOUNG MAN... THERE'S DEVIL'S WORK THERE...

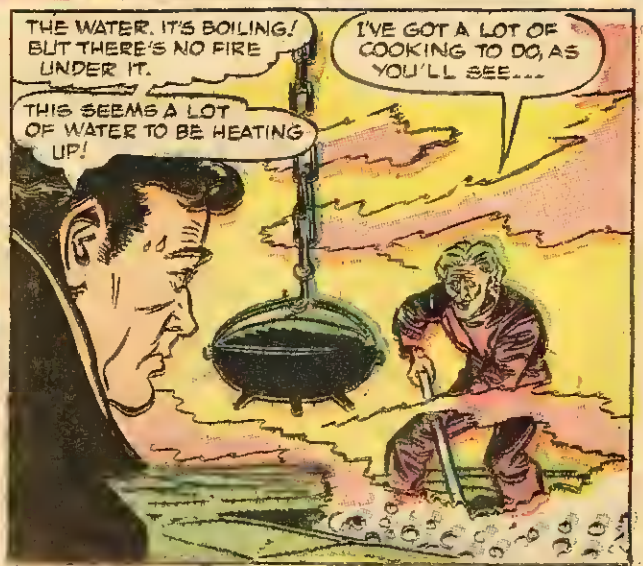
ALL RIGHT, MOTHER. I WON'T GO IN TONIGHT.

BUT THE OLD PLACE DREW JOHN WAYNE AS A MAGNET DRAWS STEEL!



IT'S A FILTHY NIGHT, SIR! WILL YOU LET ME IN FOR A FEW MOMENTS?

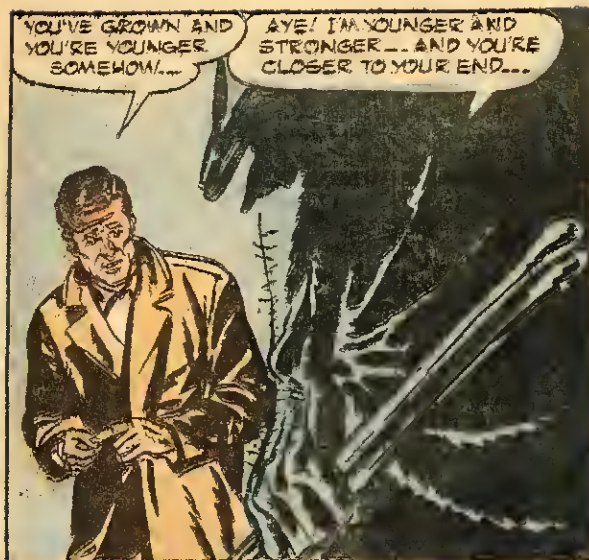
COME IN!... COME IN! I'M ALWAYS GLAD TO SEE STRANGERS!



THE WATER, IT'S BOILING! BUT THERE'S NO FIRE UNDER IT.

I'VE GOT A LOT OF COOKING TO DO, AS YOU'LL SEE...

THIS SEEMS A LOT OF WATER TO BE HEATING UP!



YOU'VE GROWN AND YOU'RE YOUNGER SOMEHOW...

AYE! I'M YOUNGER AND STRONGER... AND YOU'RE CLOSER TO YOUR END...



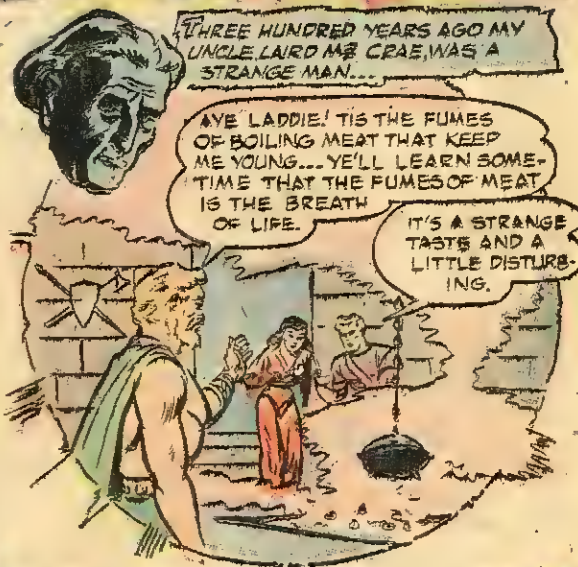
YOU'LL BE MY LIFE...

CORRECTION... YOUR DEATH.



STOP... PLEASE! I'M BADLY HURT!

TELL ME WHAT THIS IS ALL ABOUT.

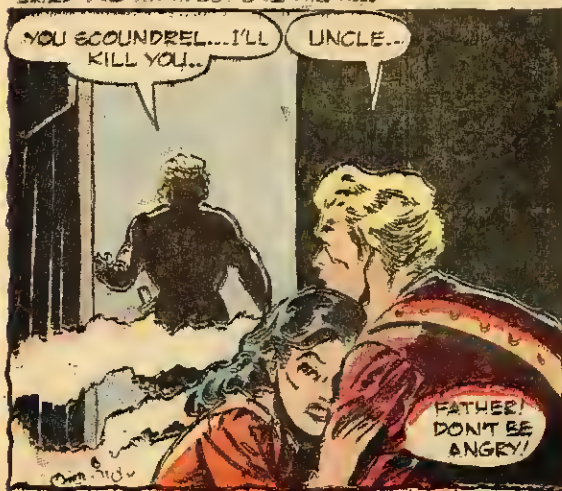


THREE HUNDRED YEARS AGO MY UNCLE LAIRD M^R CRAE, WAS A STRANGE MAN...

AYE LADDIE! TIS THE FUMES OF BOILING MEAT THAT KEEP ME YOUNG... YE'LL LEARN SOMETIME THAT THE FUMES OF MEAT IS THE BREATH OF LIFE.

IT'S A STRANGE TASTE AND A LITTLE DISTURBING.

THOUGH IT WAS FORBIDDEN, I LOVED MY COUSIN, LAUREN. AND WE MANAGED TO SEE EACH OTHER WHEN LAIRD WAS AWAY. BUT ONE NIGHT...



YOU SCOUNDREL... I'LL KILL YOU...

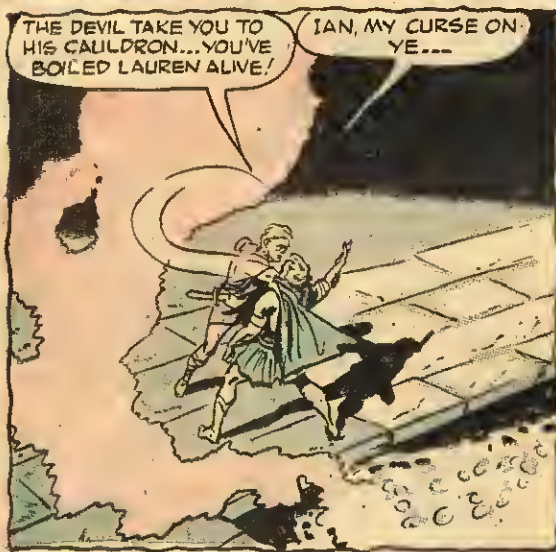
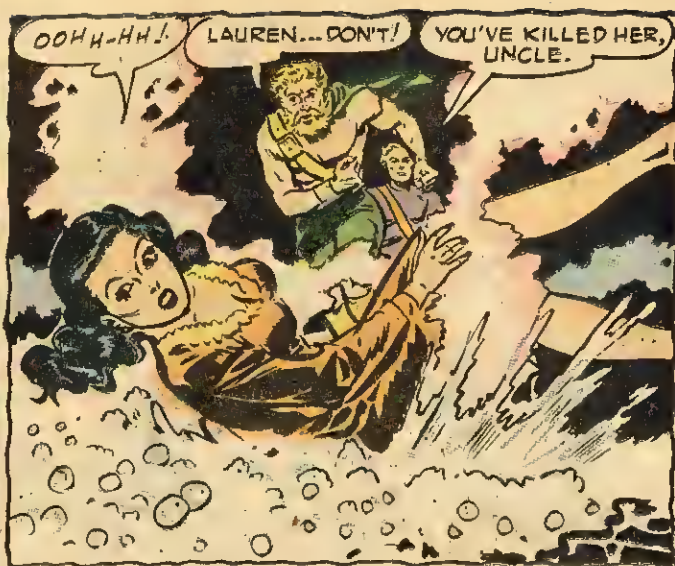
UNCLE...

FATHER! DON'T BE ANGRY!



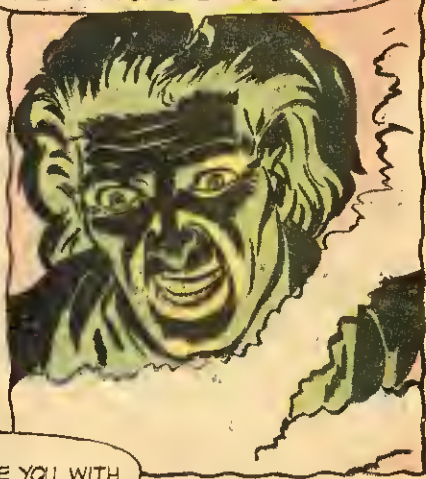
I'LL TEACH YE TO FLAUNT MY WISHES... YE'LL NEVER FORGET THIS NIGHT...

DON'T, UNCLE! I'LL BE FORCED TO DEFEND MYSELF!





THAT LIFE GIVING VAPOR! TIS THE DEVIL'S STEWPOT...AND I'LL SUPPLY THE MEAT FOR BELIA TO BREW!



I'M GOING TO TAKE YOU WITH ME TO THE CONSTABLE IN THE VILLAGE!

SO THAT'S THE WAY IT'S BEEN...THE CURSE HAS DRIVEN ME FOR THREE HUNDRED YEARS AND NO END IN SIGHT FOR ME

YOU'RE CRAZY, OLD MAN, AND SHOULD BE CONFINED!



AYE? WE'LL SEE, LAD... INTO THE STEWPOT WI' YE!



YOU FOOL... SERVING EVIL, YOU CANNOT BE SAVED.

IN WITH YE! NOW MAYBE BELIA WILL RELEASE ME!



YOU CANNOT DEFEAT GOOD WITH EVIL, OLD MAN!

BLAST YE! BEELZEBUB! BLAST HIM FOR ME!





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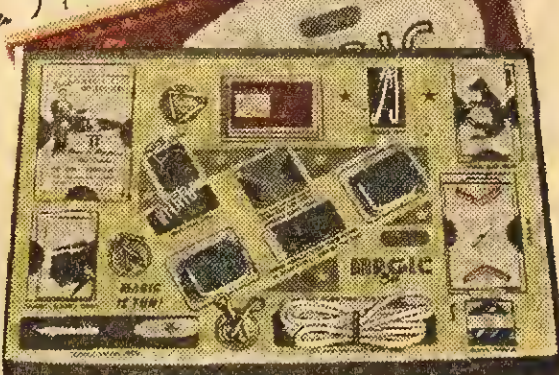
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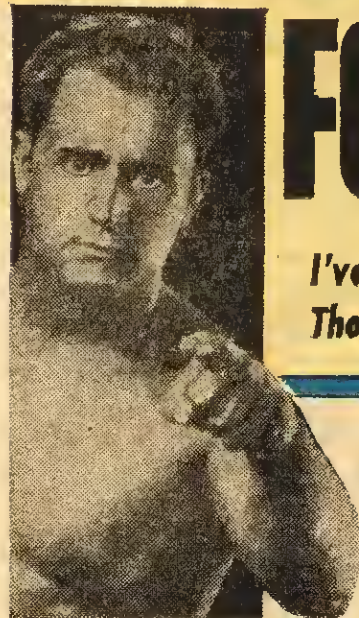
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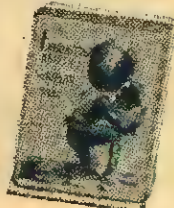
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run down?
Always
tired?
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☐ If under 14 years of age check here for Booklet A.

HE'S GOT THE STRENGTH
OF THE DEVIL! WHAT'S
HAPPENING HERE?



I'VE GOT YOU NOW!
I'VE GOT YOU!

AAIIIIEEEEEE-E!
-SATAN!!!
HAVE YE ABANDONED
ME?



AAAAARRGGGHH!!!



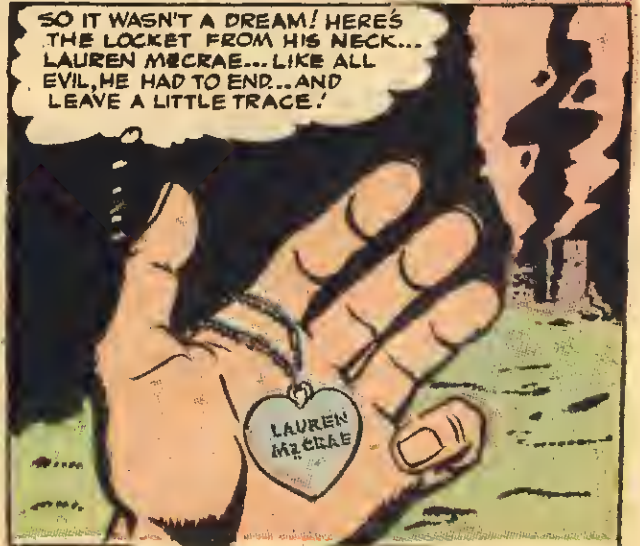
POOR DEVIL!...HE IS GOING
LIKE THE REST OF HIS VICTIMS!



WHERE AM I? ! I REMEMBER! THE DEVIL'S
STEW POT! BUT WHERE...? ?...WHAT
HAVE I GOT IN MY HAND?



SO IT WASN'T A DREAM! HERES
THE LOCKET FROM HIS NECK...
LAUREN MCCRACK... LIKE ALL
EVIL, HE HAD TO END... AND
LEAVE A LITTLE TRACE!



JOHN WAYNE

GHOST GUNS

"Sometimes justice moves in a slow way! But Sheriff John Wayne, on the side of law and order, is always there when there's a wrong that needs rightin'."

YUH
THINK THAT'S
TAYLOR?

THAT'S HIM; ALL RIGHT.
HE ALWAYS DID RIDE LIKE
SATAN HIMSELF WAS
RIGHT ON HIS
HEELS.

PULL UP A MITE
THERE, FRED.
WE'VE GOT A
LITTLE SOME-
THING TO SAY
TO YUH.

WHAT IS THIS
ANYWAY -- A
WELCOMING
COMMITTEE--OR
A COUPLE OF
LAW-ABIDING
CITIZENS CAME TO
TELL ME CANYON
CITY DOESN'T WANT
ANY JAIL-BIRDS?

NOW, SON, THERE'S NO NEED FER
YUH TO ACT LIKE THAT. YOU PAID
FOR YORE MISTAKE. JOHN AND
I CAME TO RIDE INTO
TOWN WITH YUH.

SORRY TO
DISAPPOINT
YUH, BUT I'M
NOT RIDING
INTO TOWN.

WHERE YUH HEADED FOR
THEN, FRED? LEE AND I
KINDA HOPED YU'D BE
WILLING TO TAKE YOUR
OLD JOB BACK
WITH HIM.

NO, THANKS.
I DON'T
THINK I'D TAKE
WELL TO HAVIN'
PEOPLE STARIN' AT
ME AND WATCHING
TO SEE WHAT MY
NEXT MOVE
WILL BE!



I'M GOIN' TO SPEND A COUPLE OF WEEKS IN MY SHACK UNTIL I MAKE UP MY MIND WHAT I WANT TO DO. SO IF YOU GENTS'LL EXCUSE ME...

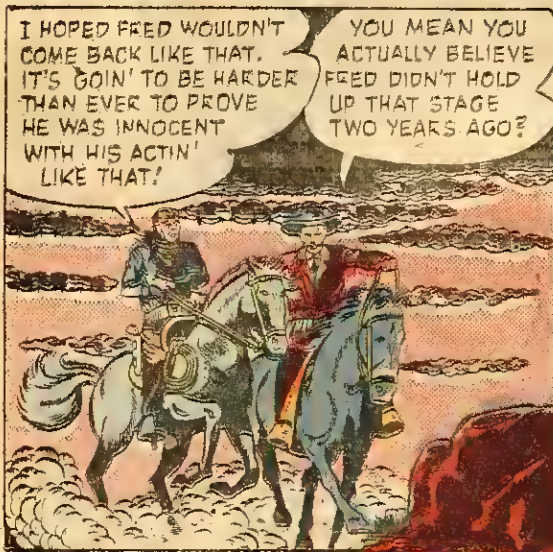


HOLD ON, NOW, SON - THAT'S NO ATTITUDE TO TAKE! DOWN AN I'VE YORE FRIENDS!

AN EX-CONVICT DOESN'T HAVE ANY FRIENDS!

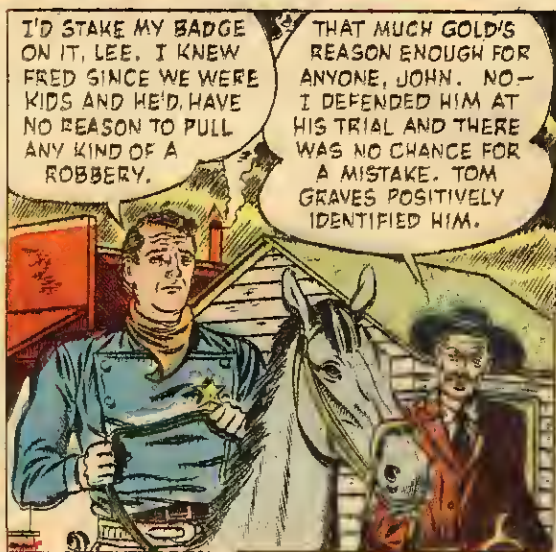


THANKS FOR NOTHIN', LEE.



I HOPED FRED WOULDN'T COME BACK LIKE THAT. IT'S GOIN' TO BE HARDER THAN EVER TO PROVE HE WAS INNOCENT WITH HIS ACTIN' LIKE THAT!

YOU MEAN YOU ACTUALLY BELIEVE FRED DIDN'T HOLD UP THAT STAGE TWO YEARS AGO?



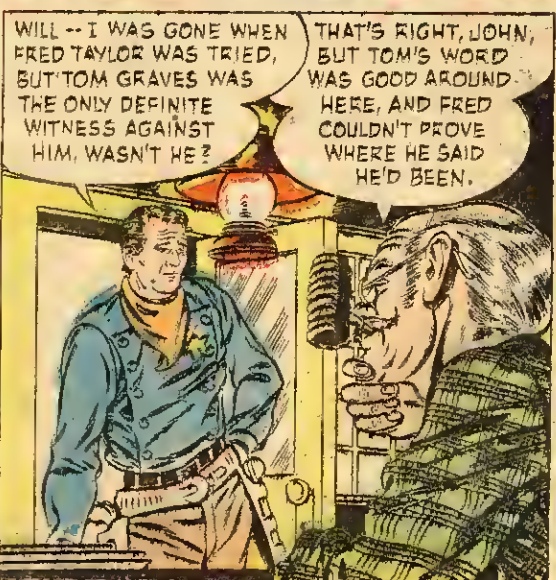
I'D STAKE MY BADGE ON IT, LEE. I KNEW FRED SINCE WE WERE KIDS AND HE'D HAVE NO REASON TO PULL ANY KIND OF A ROBBERY.

THAT MUCH GOLD'S REASON ENOUGH FOR ANYONE, JOHN. NO - I DEFENDED HIM AT HIS TRIAL AND THERE WAS NO CHANCE FOR A MISTAKE. TOM GRAVES POSITIVELY IDENTIFIED HIM.



I'LL SEE YOU LATER, LEE. I'VE GOT SOME BUSINESS WITH WILL.

GOOD-BYE, JOHN. DON'T LET FRED GET YOU DOWN.

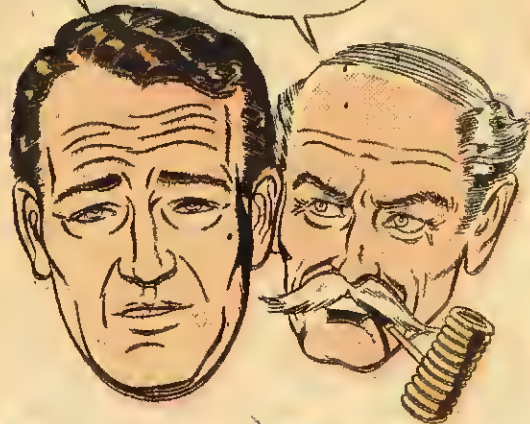


WILL -- I WAS GONE WHEN FRED TAYLOR WAS TRIED, BUT TOM GRAVES WAS THE ONLY DEFINITE WITNESS AGAINST HIM, WASN'T HE?

THAT'S RIGHT, JOHN, BUT TOM'S WORD WAS GOOD AROUND HERE, AND FRED COULDN'T PROVE WHERE HE SAID HE'D BEEN.

TOM RESIGNED
RIGHT AFTER
THAT, DIDN'T
HE?

HE SAID HE WANTED A
QUIET LIFE. LEE HOLMES
GAVE HIM A JOB,
RUNNING HIS
RANCH.

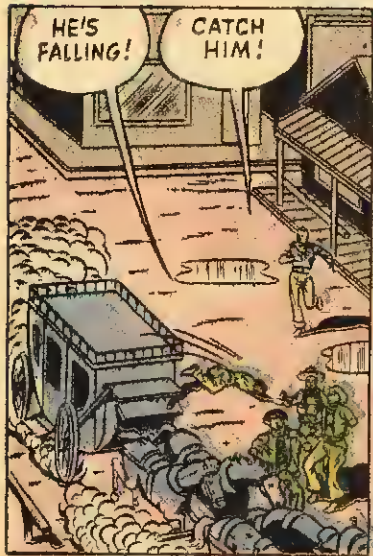


Early that evening, a lone rider races the
Canyon City stage toward the express office...



HE'S
FALLING!

CATCH
HIM!



TEX--WHO
DID IT?

ONE MAN --AT
THE PASS--HE
GOT EVERYTHING--
OOOOHHH...



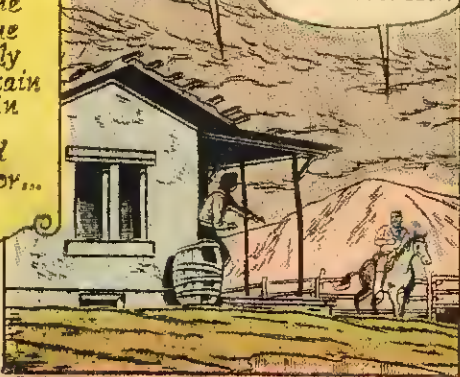
THIS IS MORE THAN
ANOTHER ROBBERY, WILL.
THIS TIME, IT'S
MURDER!



Half
an hour's
hard
riding
brings
John
Wayne
to the
lonely
mountain
cabin
of
Fred
Taylor...

IF YUH'VE COME
TO TRY TO CONVINCE
ME TO ACCEPT
LEE'S OFFER, YO'RE
WASTING YORE
TIME, JOHN.

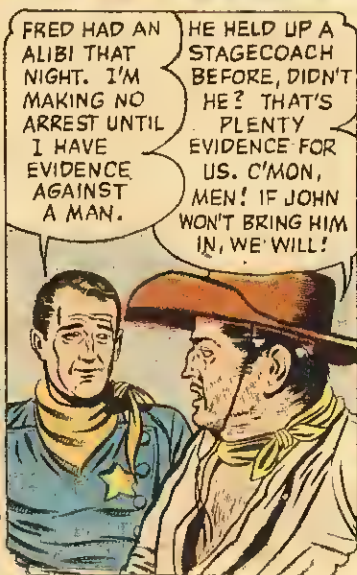
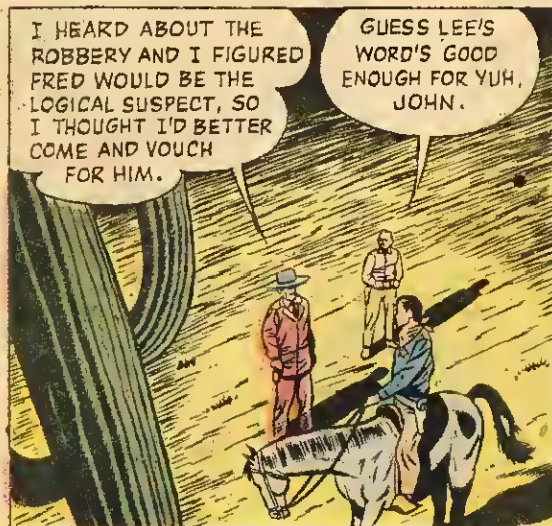
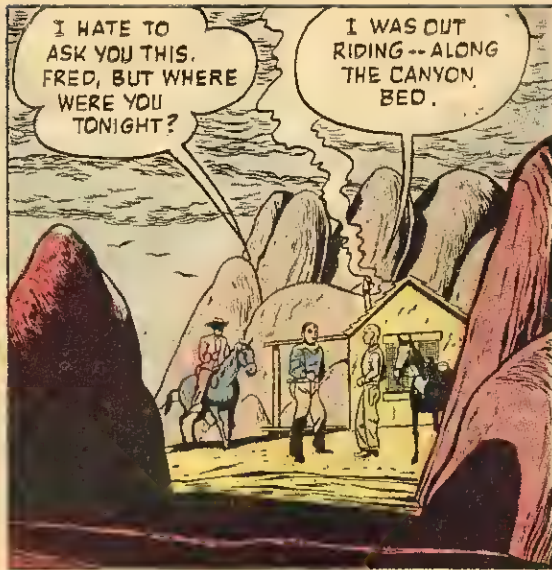
YUH'D DO
WELL TO
CONSIDER
IT, FRED.
PEOPLE MAY
BE WONDERING
WHERE YOU
KEEP YOURSELF.

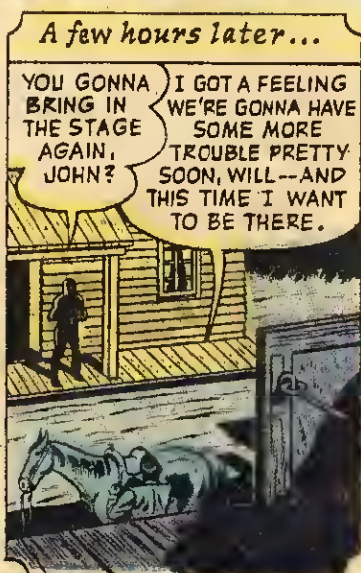
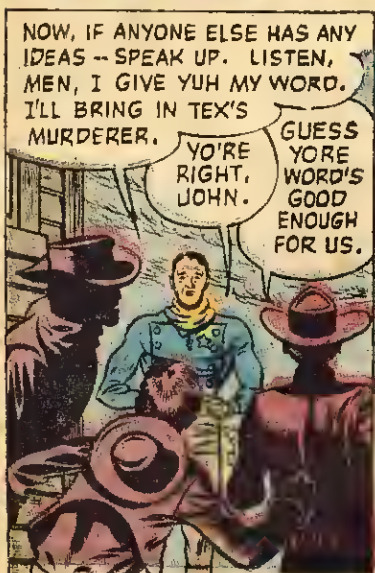
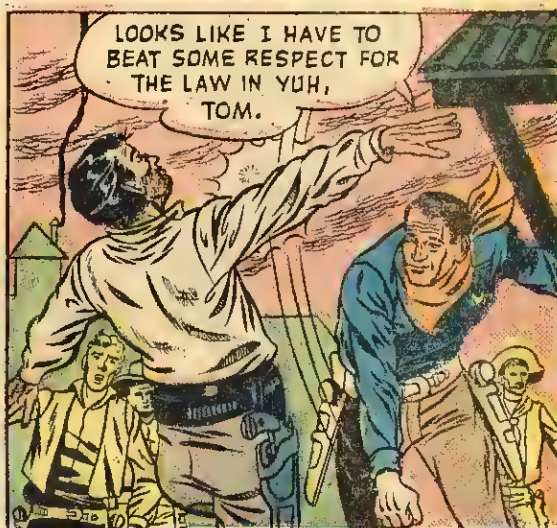


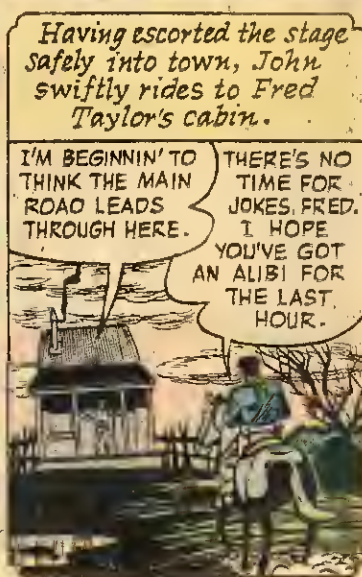
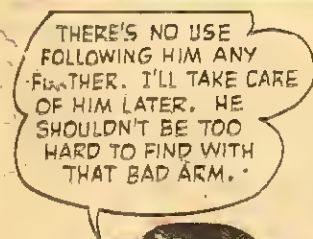
LET 'EM WONDER. I'VE
GOT MY RIGHTS THE
SAME AS ANYONE
ELSE, EVEN IF I AM
AN EX-CONVICT, AND
IT SO HAPPENS
I WANT TO BE
LEFT ALONE.

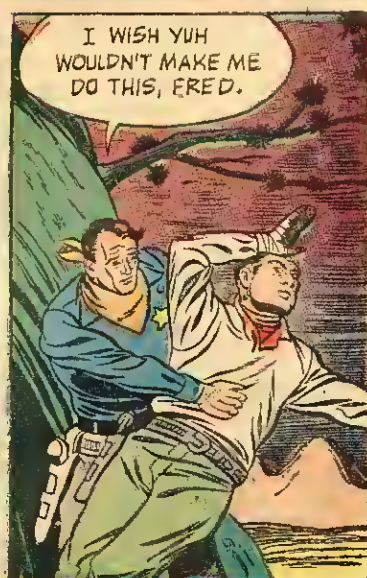
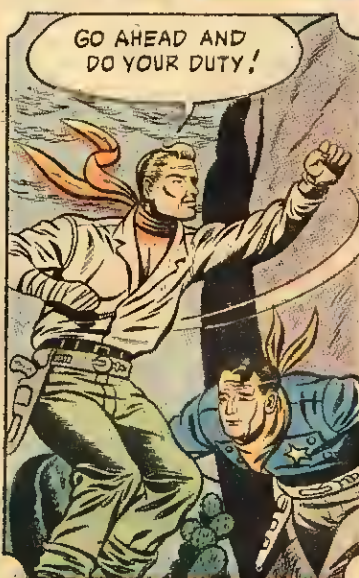
THERE'S BEEN ANOTHER
ROBBERY TONIGHT, FRED,
AND PEOPLE ARE GOIN'
TO WONDER WHERE YOU
WERE. YOUR HORSE'S
DAMP FROM HEAVY
RIDIN'!











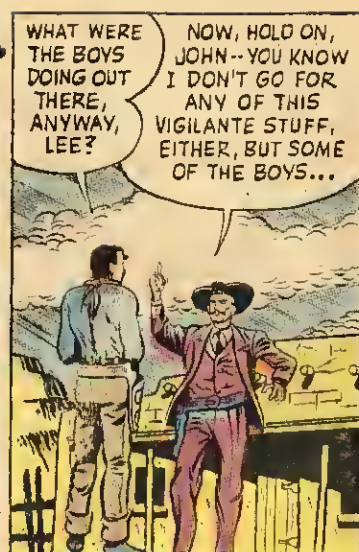


OKAY, LET'S
GET GOING.



John locks up young Fred
Taylor but keeps the infor-
mation secret for his
own reasons.

JOHN, I THINK YUH MADE A
MISTAKE THIS TIME. SOME
OF THE BOYS ROPE OUT TO
TAYLOR'S PLACE TODAY
AND HE'S VAMOOSSED.



WHAT WERE
THE BOYS
DOING OUT
THERE,
ANYWAY,
LEE?

NOW, HOLD ON,
JOHN-- YOU KNOW
I DON'T GO FOR
ANY OF THIS
VIGILANTE STUFF,
EITHER, BUT SOME
OF THE BOYS...



I GAVE MY WORD I'D BRING IN
THE GUILTY PARTY, LEE, AND I DON'T
NEED ANY HELP FROM A VIGILANTE. IF
I HEAR OF ANY MORE OF IT, I'LL
ARREST THEM THE SAME AS
I WOULD ANY OTHER LAW-BREAKER!

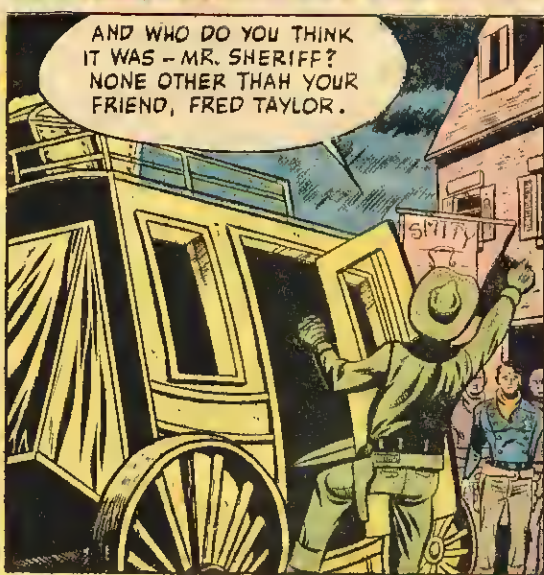


NOW, JOHN --
I DIDN'T MEAN
ANYTHING...
HEY! WHAT'S
THAT?

IT LOOKS
LIKE MORE
TROUBLE.



ANOTHER HOLD-UP
AT THE PASS! HE
GOT EVERYTHING!

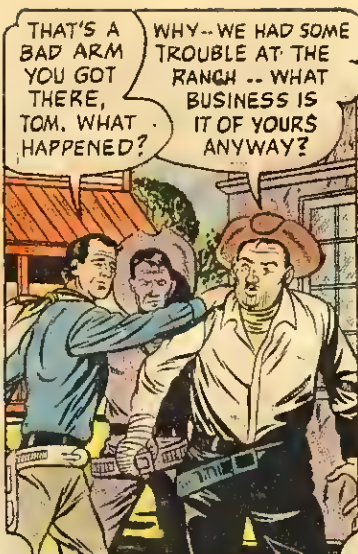


AND WHO DO YOU THINK
IT WAS -- MR. SHERIFF?
NONE OTHER THAN YOUR
FRIEND, FRED TAYLOR.



YOU'D SWEAR
TO THAT BEFORE
ANY JURY,
TOM?

I SHORE WOULD.
AND ME AND
THE BOYS'LL
BRING HIM IN,
TOO, JOHN--BECAUSE
IT SORT OF LOOKS
AS THOUGH YOU
NEED A LITTLE
HELP.

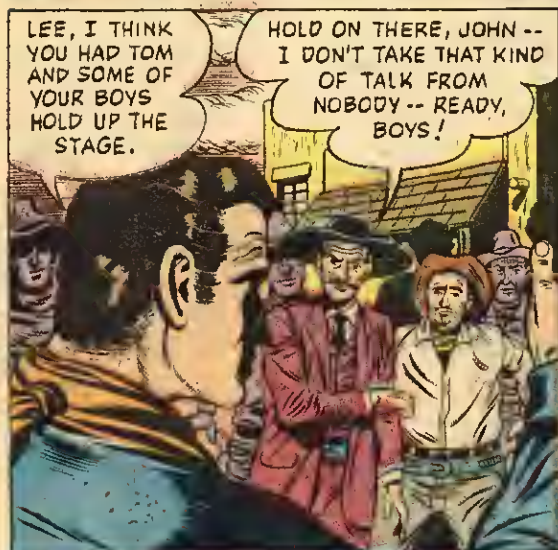


THAT'S A
BAD ARM
YOU GOT
THERE,
TOM. WHAT
HAPPENED?

WHY--WE HAD SOME
TROUBLE AT THE
RANCH -- WHAT
BUSINESS IS
IT OF YOURS
ANYWAY?

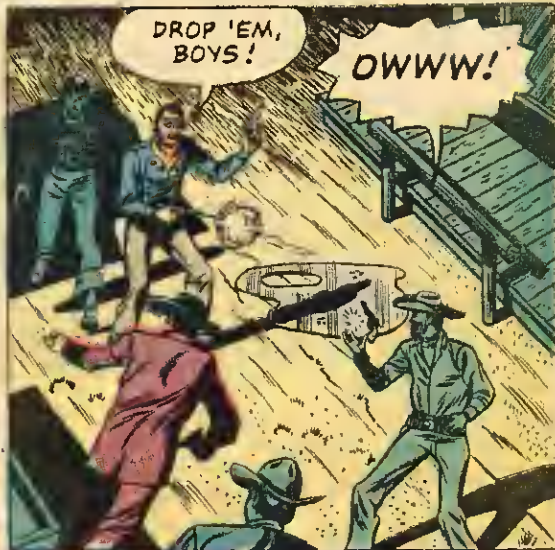


BECAUSE I WINGED A GUY
WHO WAS TRYING TO HOLD UP
THE STAGE THE OTHER
NIGHT. AND IT HAPPENS
FRED TAYLOR'S BEEN
PASSING THE TIME
IN JAIL.



LEE, I THINK
YOU HAD TOM
AND SOME OF
YOUR BOYS
HOLD UP THE
STAGE.

HOLD ON THERE, JOHN --
I DON'T TAKE THAT KIND
OF TALK FROM
NOBODY -- READY,
BOYS!



DROP 'EM,
BOYS!

OWWW!

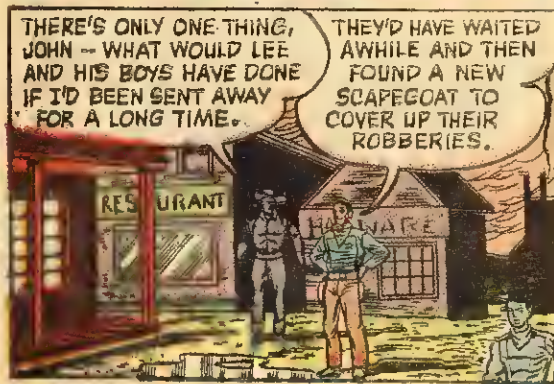
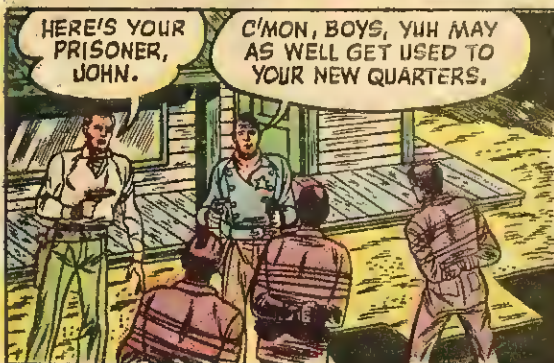


YOU DROP 'EM, JOHN!
I HAVE THE
UPPER HAND NOW!

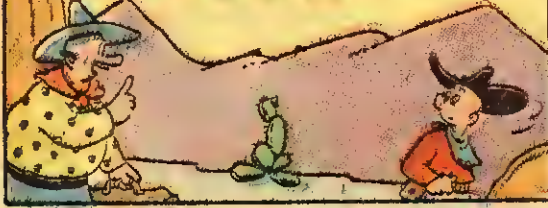


OKAY, JOHN --
HEY!--
WHAT--?

BANG

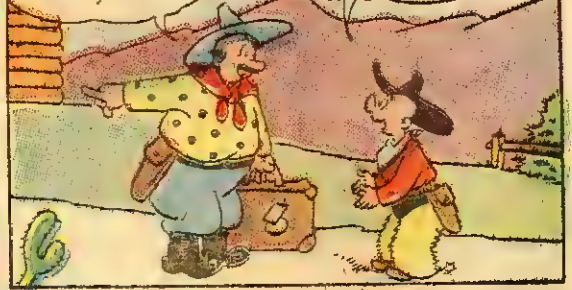


PROSPECTOR PETE



YOU CAN LIVE
IN MY CABIN
WHILE I'M
AWAY, PETE.

THAT'S MIGHTY NICE
OF YA HANK—WHAT'S
IT GONNA COST ME?

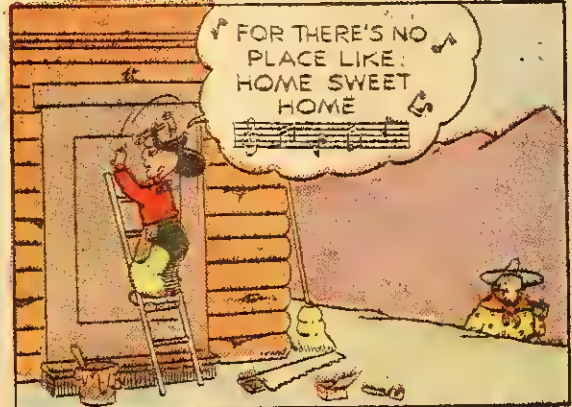


NUTHIN'—IF'N
YA DO A LITTLE
REPAIRIN' ON IT
'SPECIALLY ON
THE FLOOR

I'LL START
RIGHT NOW!



FOR THERE'S NO
PLACE LIKE
HOME SWEET
HOME

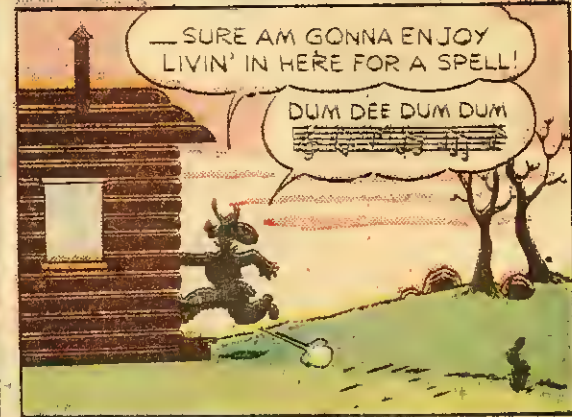


THERE! HOW'S THAT
FOR A PERFECT REPAIR
JOB!—CABIN'S NEARLY
AS GOOD AS NEW!



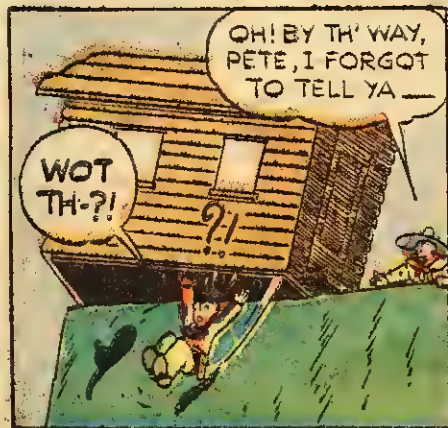
—SURE AM GONNA ENJOY
LIVIN' IN HERE FOR A SPELL!

DUM DEE DUM DUM



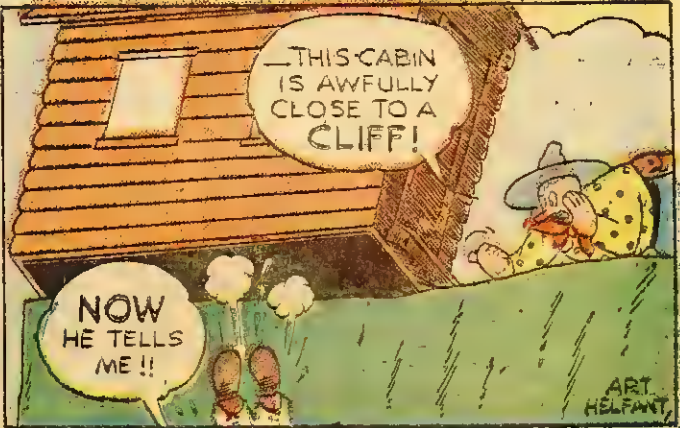
WOT
TH-?!

OH! BY TH' WAY,
PETE, I FORGOT
TO TELL YA —

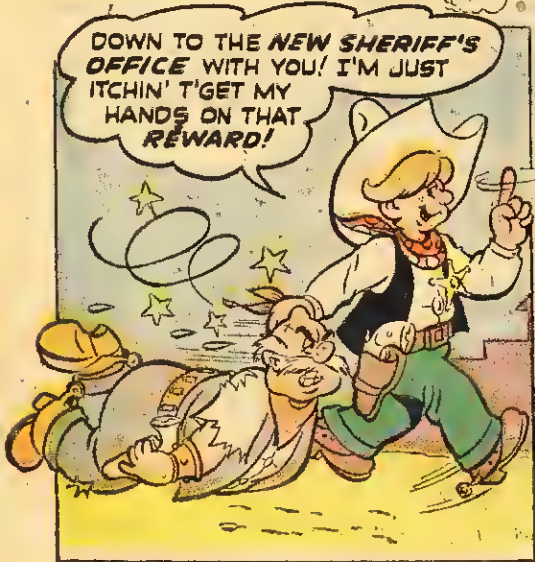
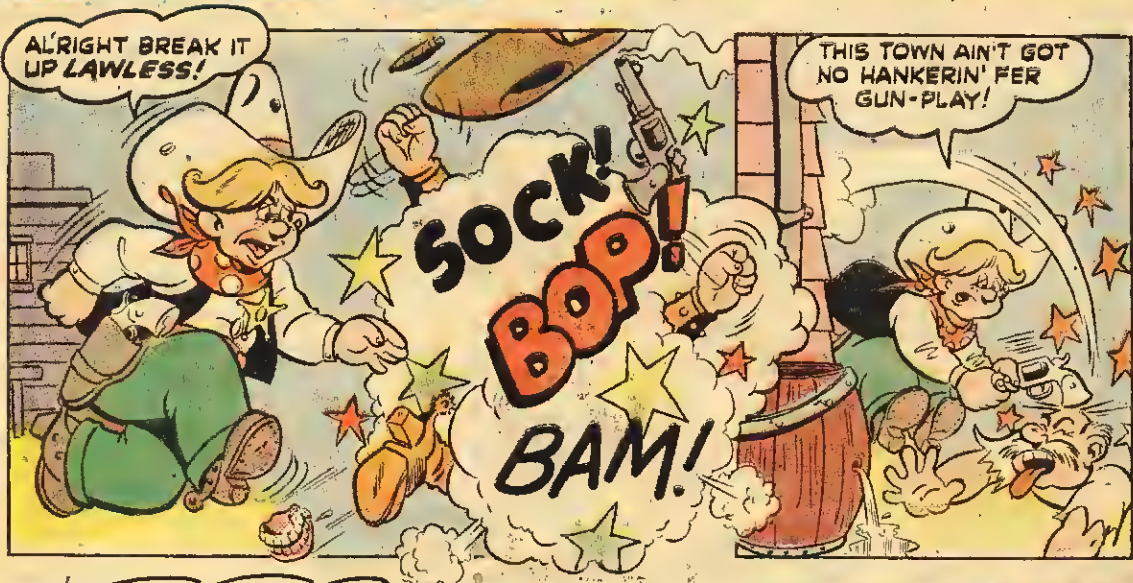
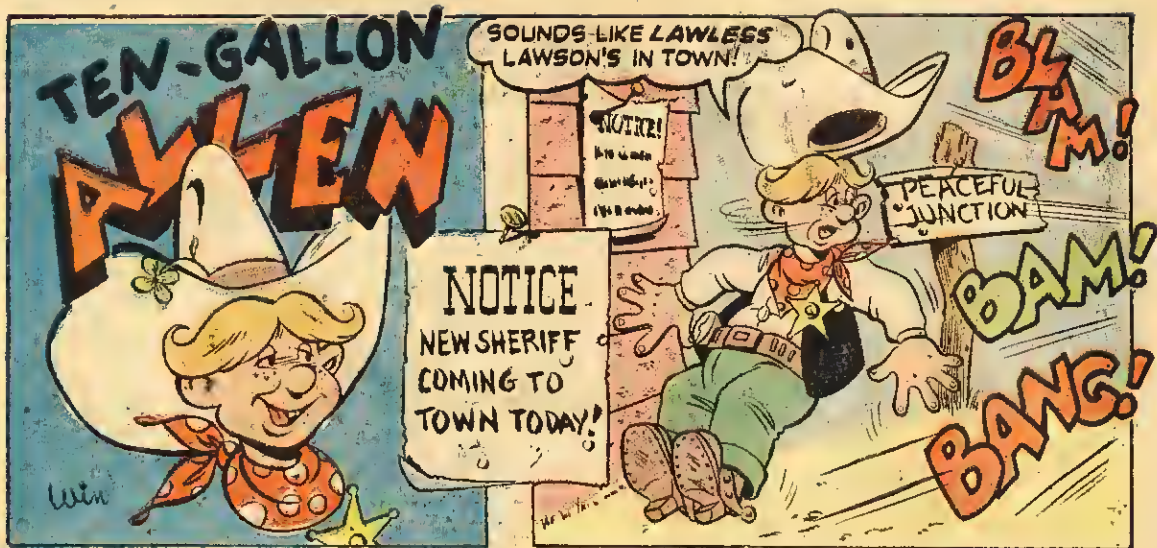


—THIS CABIN
IS AWFULLY
CLOSE TO A
CLIFF!

NOW
HE TELLS
ME !!



ART
HELFANT



TEN-GALLON
ALLEN

ROCK
RIDI

WANT
\$50

BUT I DON'T KNOW NUTHIN' 'BOUT RIDIN' HOSSES COUSIN TEN GALLON...

ALL Y' HAVE T' DO IS GIT ON AN' RIDE COUSIN SADDLE SOAP!

RODIO RIDER
WANTED
\$500
IN PRIZE

**RODENT
RIDER**
WANTED
\$500
IN PRIZE

I'D LIKE T'ENTER MY COUSIN SADDLE SOAP M'GOON IN THE ROPEO RIDIN' CONTEST! HE'S A RIDIN' FOOL!

FINE... WE'LL GIVE HIM OL' BLOODY HOOF'S T'RIDE!

JUMPIN' CACTUS! YOU PUT
THAT SADDLE ON BACKWARDS!
ARE YOU STUPID OR SOMETHIN'?

IT HAIN'T ME T
STUPID-- IT'S
HERE HO

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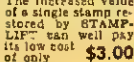
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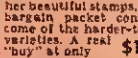
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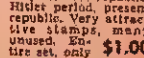
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